

2008
Los Angeles Revitalization Zone
Business Booklet

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This booklet contains:

Form FTB 3806, Los Angeles Revitalization Zone Deduction and Credit Summary





Instructions for Form 3806

Los Angeles Revitalization Zone Businesses

References in these instructions are to the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) as of January 1, 2005, and to the California Revenue and Taxation Code (R&TC).

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General Information

Federal/State Conformity

In general, California law conforms to the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) as of January 2005. However, there are continuing differences between California and federal law. When California conforms to federal tax law changes, we do not always adopt all of the changes made at the federal level. For more information, go to our website at ftb.ca.gov and search for conformity. Additional information can be found in FTB Pub. 1001, Supplemental Guidelines to California Adjustments, the instructions for California Schedule CA (540 or 540NR), California Adjustments, and the Business Entity tax booklets.

The instructions provided with California tax forms are a summary of California tax law and are only intended to aid taxpayers in preparing their state income tax returns. We include information that is most useful to the greatest number of taxpayers in the limited space available. It is not possible to include all requirements of the California Revenue and Taxation Code (R&TC) in the tax booklets. Taxpayers should not consider the tax booklets as authoritative law.

Pass-Through Entities

For purposes of this booklet, the term "passthrough entity" refers to an S corporation, estate, trust, partnership, and a limited liability company (LLC) classified as a partnership. References to partnerships include LLCs classified as partnerships.

Reporting Requirement

California statutes require the Franchise Tax Board (FTB) to provide information to the California Legislature regarding the number of businesses using the Economic Development Area (EDA) tax incentives, types of EDA tax incentives being used, and the EDAs in which the businesses are claiming the tax incentives. Complete items A through G on form FTB 3806, Side 1, Los Angeles Revitalization Zone Deduction and Credit Summary, as applicable. FTB will use this information to meet its statutory reporting requirement.

Introduction

The Former Los Angeles Revitalization Zone

The Los Angeles Revitalization Zone (LARZ) expired on December 1, 1998. It was established to aid economic development in areas that suffered damage during the civil unrest that occurred in the County of Los Angeles during April and May 1992. The LARZ became operative on May 1, 1992, and applied to businesses with taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 1992.

The following tax incentives were provided for businesses operating within the LARZ:

- General hiring credit
- Construction hiring credit
- Sales or use tax credit
- Business expense deduction
- Net interest deduction
- NOL carryover deduction

References in this booklet to the "LARZ" are interpreted as "the boundaries of the former LARZ as it existed on November 30, 1998."

Purpose

Claiming Deduction and Credit Carryovers
Use this booklet to determine the following
deduction and credit carryovers that the
business may claim for operating or investing
in a trade or business within the former LARZ:

- General hiring credit carryover
- Construction hiring credit carryover
- Sales or use tax credit carryover
- NOL carryover deduction

Complete the worksheets in this booklet for the NOL carryover deduction or credit carryover for which the business is eligible. Then enter the NOL carryover deduction and credit carryover on form FTB 3806.

If your business is located both within and outside the former LARZ, see Part II, Portion of Business Attributable to the Former Los Angeles Revitalization Zone, for information on how to apportion business income.

How to Claim Deductions and Credit Carryovers

To claim any LARZ NOL carryover deduction or credit carryover, **attach** a completed form FTB 3806 to your California tax return.

Attach a separate form FTB 3806 for each business you operate or invest in that is located within the former LARZ. Also complete the following schedule and/or worksheets:

- Corporations complete Schedule Z and all the Worksheets, except for Worksheet I, Section B.
- Sole proprietors complete Schedule Z and all the worksheets.
- Trusts, estates, and partnerships, complete Worksheet I. Section A.
- Individual investors receiving pass-through LARZ credits, complete Worksheet I, Section B, Worksheet II, and Schedule Z.
- All other investors complete Worksheet I, Section A, Worksheet II, and Schedule Z.

instructions for items A through G on FTB 3806, Side 1

- Corperations, estates, trusts, partnerships, exempt organizations, and sole proprietors, complete items A through G.
- Investors of pass-through entities, complete items A through D.

Principal Business Activity (PBA) Codes

The FTB implemented the PBA code chart based on the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS), 1997 Edition. The list of PBA codes is designed to classify a business by the type of activity in which it is engaged to facilitate the administration of the California Revenue and Taxation Code.

For taxable years beginning on January 1, 2003, the list of PBA codes previously provided in form FTB 3806 business booklet have been deleted. If you are a business entity, get the PBA code from the 2008 tax booklet (100, 100S, 100W, 565 or 568) that you used to file your tax return. If you are an individual, get the PBA code reported on your federal Form 1040, Schedule C, line B.

Rart L Credit Carryovers Used A Construction Hiring Credit Carryover

No new LARZ construction hiring credits may be generated in taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 1998. However, LARZ construction hiring credit carryovers may be claimed for 15 years from the year the credit was generated. See instructions for Schedule Z, Computation of Credit Carryover Limitations on page 8, for information on how to claim construction hiring credit carryovers.

B General Hiring Credit Carryover

No new LARZ general hiring credits may be generated in taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 1998. However, LARZ general hiring credit carryovers may be claimed for 15 years from the year the credit was generated. See instructions for Schedule Z, Computation of Credit Carryover Limitations, for information on how to claim general hiring credit carryovers.

C Sales or Use Tax Credit Carryover

No new LARZ sales or use tax credits may be generated in taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 1998. However, LARZ sales or use tax credit carryovers may be claimed for 15 years from the year the LARZ credit was generated. See instructions for Schedule Z. for information on how to claim sales or use tax credit carryovers.

Part II Portion of Business Attributable to the Former Los **Angeles Revitalization Zone**

The LARZ credit carryovers are limited to the tax on business income attributable to operations within the former LARZ. LARZ NOL carryover deductions are limited to business income attributable to operations within the former LARZ. If the business is located within and outside of the former LARZ, determine the portion of total business operations that are attributable to the former LARZ.

Business Income vs. Nonbusiness Income

Only business income is apportioned to the former LARZ to determine the incentive limitation.

Business income is defined as income arising from transactions and activities in the regular course of the trade or business. Business income includes income from tangible and intangible property if the acquisition, management, and disposition of the property constitute integral parts of the regular trade or business operations. Nonbusiness income is all income other than business income. Get Cal. Code Regs., tit. 18 section 25120 for further references and examples of nonbusiness income.

For an individual, business income includes but is not limited to California business income or loss from federal Form 1040. Schedules C. D, E, F, and California Schedule D-1 (or federal Form 4797, Sales of Business Property, if California Schedule D-1 is not needed), as well as wages. Be sure to include casualty losses, disaster losses, and any business deductions reported on federal Form 1040, Schedule A as itemized deductions.

Generally, all income which arises from the conduct of trade or business operations of a taxpayer is business income.

If you elected to carry back part or all of your current year disaster loss under IRC Section 165(i)(1), do not include the amount of the loss that was carried back in your current year business income from the former LARZ.

Pass-through entities report to their shareholders, beneficiaries, partners, and members the following items:

- 1. The distributive (or pro-rata for S corporations) share of the business income apportioned to the former LARZ.
- 2. The distributive (or pro-rata for S corporations) share of the business capital gains apportioned to the former LARZ included in item 1.

Report these items as other information on Schedule K-1 (100S, 541, 565 or 568.), Share of Income, Deductions, Credits, etc.

Form 540, California Resident Income Tax Return, and Long Form 540NR, California Nonresident or Part-year Resident Income Tax Return filers, refer to Worksheet I, Section B to compute business income apportioned to the

For business entities, including sole proprietors, use Worksheet I, Section A to compute business income apportioned to the

Apportionment

Business income is apportioned to the former LARZ by multiplying the total California business income of the taxpayer by a fraction, the numerator which is the property factor plus the payroll factor, and the denominator which is two.

Property Factor

Property is defined as the average value of all real and tangible personal property owned or rented by the business and used during the taxable year to produce business income.

Property is included in the factor if it was available for use during the taxable year.

Property owned by the business is valued at its original cost. Original cost is the basis of the property for federal income tax purposes (prior to any federal adjustment) at the time of acquisition by the business, adjusted for subsequent capital additions or improvements and partial dispositions because of sale or exchange. Allowance for depreciation is not considered.

Rented property is valued at eight times the net annual rental rate. The net annual rental rate for any item of rented property is the total rent paid for the property, less aggregate annual subrental rates paid by subtenants.

The numerator of the property factor is the average value of the taxpayer's real and tangible personal property owned or rented by the business and used within the former LARZ during the taxable year to produce LARZ business income. See column (b) on Worksheet I.

The denominator of the property factor is the total average value of all the taxpayer's real and tangible personal property owned or rented and used during the taxable year within California. See column (a) on Worksheet I.

Payroll Factor

Payroll is defined as the total amount paid to the business's employees as compensation for the production of business income during the taxable year.

Compensation means wages, salaries, commissions, and any other form of remuneration paid directly to employees for personal services.

Payments made to independent contractors or any other person not properly classified as an employee are excluded.

Compensation Within the Former LARZ Compensation is considered to be within the former LARZ if any one of the following tests is met:

- 1. The employee's services are performed within the geographical boundaries of the former LARZ.
- 2. The employee's services are performed within and outside the former LARZ, but the services performed outside the former LARZ are incidental to the employee's service within the former LARZ.

Incidental means any temporary or transitory service performed in connection with an isolated transaction.

- 3. If the employee's services are performed both within and outside the former LARZ, the employee's compensation is attributed to the former LARZ if any one of the following items is met:
 - A. The employee's base of operations is within the former LARZ.
 - B. There is no base of operations in any other part of the state in which some part of the service is performed, and the place from which the service is directed or controlled is within the former LARZ.
 - The base of operations or the place from which the service is directed or controlled is not in any other part of the state in which some part of the service is performed and the employee's residence is within the former LARZ. Base of operations is the permanent

place from which employees start work and customarily return in order to receive instruction from the taxpayer or communications from their customers or persons; to replenish stock or other material; to repair equipment; or to perform any other functions necessary in the exercise of their trade or profession at some other point or points.

The numerator of the payroll factor is the taxpayer's total compensation paid to employees for working within the former LARZ during the taxable year. See column (b) on Worksheet I.

The denominator of the payroll factor is the taxpayer's total compensation paid to employees working in California. See column (a) on Worksheet I.

Corporations Filing a Combined Report
Business income for each corporation doing
business in the former LARZ will be its
business income apportioned to California (See
FTB Pub. 1061, Guidelines for Corporations
Filing a Combined Report, for more information
on combined reports and entity income
apportionment). The former LARZ property
and payroll factors used in the determination
of former LARZ business income includes
only the taxpayer's California amounts in the
denominator.

Instructions for Worksheet I — Income or Loss Apportionment

Section A – Income Apportionment

If the business operates only within the former LARZ, enter 100% (1.00) on line 4,

of Section A. Do not complete the rest of the Worksheet I.

Use Worksheet I, Section A, Income Apportionment, to determine the amount of business income apportioned to the former LARZ. The business income apportioned to the former LARZ determines the amount of LARZ credit and NOL carryovers that can be used.

Only California source business income is apportioned to the former LARZ. A taxpayer's business income apportioned to the former LARZ is its California apportioned business income multiplied by the specific LARZ apportionment percentage.

The LARZ property and payroll factors used in the determination of apportionable business income include only the taxpayer's California amounts in the denominator.

Section B – Income or Loss

Form 540 and Long Form 540NR filers, use Worksheet I, Section B on page 6 to determine the amount to enter on the following items:

- Worksheet II. line 1, and line 6
- Schedule Z, Part I, line 1, and line 3

Do not include disaster losses in any amounts used in the table in column (b).

Only California source business income is apportioned to the former LARZ.

The first step is to determine which portion of the taxpayer's net income is "business income" and which portion is "nonbusiness income," since only business income is apportioned to the former LARZ. See Part II of the instructions, page 3, for a discussion of business and nonbusiness income.

Part | Individual Income and Expense Items

Wages: Taxpayers with wages from a company located within and outside the former LARZ, determine the LARZ wage income by entering the percentage of their time that they worked within the former LARZ in column (b). The percentage of time is the same period for which the wages entered on line 1 were earned. Determine this percentage based on records of time and events such as a travel log or entries in a daily planner.

Worksheet I Income or Loss Apportionment – Los Angeles Revitalization Zone Section A Income Apportionment **(b)** Total within Use Worksheet I, Section A, if your business has net (a) Total within (c) income from sources within and outside the former LARZ. Percentage within the former LARZ California the former LARZ column (b) ÷ column (a) PROPERTY FACTOR 1 Average yearly value of owned real and tangible personal property used in the business (at original cost). See instructions for more information. Exclude property not connected with the business and the value of construction in progress. Furniture and fixtures Land Other tangible assets (attach schedule).... Rented property used in the business. See instructions for more information. . . . Total property values **PAYROLL FACTOR 2** Employees' wages, salaries, commissions, and other compensation related to business income included in the return. Total payroll Total percentage - sum of lines 1 and 2, column (c) . . . Average apportionment percentage (1/2 of line 3). Enter here and on form FTB 3806, Side 1, line 2.....

The average apportionment percentage shown on line 4 represents the portion of the taxpayer's total business that is attributable to activities conducted within the former LARZ. Those factors with zero balances in the totals of column (a) will not be included in the computation of the average apportionment percentage. For example, if the taxpayer has no payroll within and outside the former LARZ, then the average apportionment percentage would be computed by dividing line 3 by one (instead of by two as normally instructed.)

Part II Pass Through Income or Loss

Multiple Pass-Through Entities: If you are a shareholder, partner, or member in multiple pass-through entities with businesses located within and outside the former LARZ from which you received LARZ incentives, see the example below for computing business income in the former LARZ.

Example:

Pass-through entity	Trade or business income from Schedule K-1 (100S, 541, 565, or 568)	Entity's LARZ apportionment percentage	LARZ apportioned income
ABC, Inc.	\$40,000	80%	\$32,000
A, B, & C	30,000	10%	3,000
ABC, LLC	10,000	50%	5,000
Total			\$40,000

Part III Taxpayer's Trade or Business

Business Income: Use business income or loss from federal Form 1040, Schedules C, C-EZ, E, and F, plus California adjustments from Schedule CA (540 or 540NR) for each trade or business. Also include business capital gains and losses from Schedule D and business gains and losses from Schedule D-1 as adjusted on Schedule CA (540 or 540NR).

Located Entirely Within Former LARZ

Line 6 – Line 9: If your business operation reported on federal Form 1040, Schedule C, C-EZ, E, F, or another schedule, is entirely within the former LARZ, enter the income or loss from this activity in column (a), and enter 1.00 in column (b).

Line 11 and Line 12: If the gain or loss reported on Schedule D or Schedule D-1 as adjusted on Schedule CA (540 or 540NR) was attributed to an asset used in an activity conducted entirely within the former LARZ, enter the gain or loss reported in column (a), and enter 1.00 in column (b)

Located Entirely Within California

Line 6 – Line 9: If your business operation reported on federal Form 1040, Schedule C, C-EZ, E, F, or another schedule, is entirely within California, enter the income or loss from this activity in column (a). To determine the apportionment percentage in column (b), complete Worksheet I, Section A. Enter the percentage from Worksheet I, Section A, line 4, column (c) on Worksheet I, Section B, column (b).

Line 11 and Line 12: If the gain or loss reported on Schedule D or Schedule D-1 as adjusted on Schedule CA (540 or 540NR) was attributed to an asset used in an activity conducted entirely within California, enter the gain or loss reported in column (a). To determine the apportionment percentage in column (b), complete Worksheet I, Section A. Enter the percentage from Worksheet I, Section A, line 4, column (c) on Worksheet I, Section B, column (b).

Located Within and Outside of Former LARZ and California

Line 6 – Line 9: If your business operation reported on federal Form 1040, Schedule C. C-EZ, E, F, or another schedule, is within and outside the former LARZ and California, get California Schedule R, Apportionment and Allocation of Income, and complete line 1 through line 18b and line 28 through line 31. Enter the amount from Schedule R, line 18b and line 31 on column (a) of this worksheet. (For corporations that file a combined report, see Instructions Part II). To determine the apportionment percentage in column (b), complete Worksheet I, Section A. Enter the percentage from Worksheet I, Section A, line 4, column (c) on Worksheet I, Section B, column (b).

When computing Schedule R, disregard any reference to Forms 100, California Corporation Franchise or Income Tax Return; 100W, California Corporation Franchise or Income Tax Return, Water's-Edge Filers; 100S, California S Corporation Franchise or Income Tax Return; 100X, Amended Corporation Franchise or Income Tax Return; 565, Partnership Return of Income; or 568, Limited Liability Company Return of Income. Also disregard any reference to Schedules R-3, R-4, and R-5.

Nonresidents that have an apportioning business that operates within the former LARZ should have already computed Schedule R and can use those amounts when that schedule is referenced. Residents complete a Schedule R in order to determine their California source business income for purposes of the LARZ credit computation.

Line 11 and Line 12: If the gain or loss reported on Schedule D or Schedule D-1 as adjusted on Schedule CA (540 or 540NR) was attributed to an asset used in an activity conducted within and outside the former LARZ and California, get Schedule R and complete Schedule R-1. Multiply the gain or loss reported by the percentage on Schedule R-1, line 5 and enter the result in column (a). To determine the apportionment percentage in column (b), complete Worksheet I, Section A. Enter the percentage from Worksheet I, Section A, line 4, column (c) on Worksheet I, Section B, column (b).

Line 14 - If the result on the Worksheet I, Section B, Income or Loss, line 14, column (c) is a **negative** amount, you do not have income attributable to the former LARZ and you cannot claim any LARZ credit or NOL carryovers this

If the result on the Worksheet I, Section B, Income or Loss, line 14, column (c) is a positive amount and

- You have LARZ NOL carryovers, enter the amount on Worksheet II, line 1 and line 6 (skip line 2 through line 5).
- You have LARZ credit carryovers, enter the amount on Schedule Z, Part I, line 1 and line 3 (skip line 2).

Part III, Net Operating Loss (NOL) Carryover and Deduction

No new LARZ NOLs may be generated in taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 1998.

LARZ NOL carryovers may still be claimed for 15 years from the year the LARZ NOL was generated.

For taxable years beginning in 2002 and 2003, California had suspended the Net Operating Loss (NOL) carryover deduction. Taxpayers continued to carryover an NOL during the suspension period. The carryover period for suspended losses was extended by two years for losses incurred before January 1, 2002. The deduction for disaster losses was not affected by the NOL suspension rules.

Limitation

A LARZ NOL carryover deduction can only offset business income attributable to operations within the former LARZ.

Alternative Minimum Tax

Taxpayers claiming a LARZ NOL carryover deduction, will determine their NOL for alternative minimum tax (AMT) purposes. Use Schedule P (100, 100W, 540, 540NR, or 541) to compute the LARZ NOL for AMT purposes.

S Corporations

LARZ NOLs incurred prior to becoming an S corporation may not be used against S corporation income. See IRC Section 1371(b).

S corporations are allowed to deduct a LARZ NOL carryover incurred after the "S" election is made. An S corporation may use the NOL carryover as a deduction against income subject to the 1.5% entity-level tax (3.5% for financial institutions).

Also, the LARZ NOL carryover(s) of an S corporation may be different than the LARZ NOL carryover(s) of its shareholder(s).

Taxpavers Operating Within and Outside the Former LARZ

Unlike the NOL treatment on a federal consolidated return, a loss carryover for one member included in a combined report may not be applied to the intrastate apportioned income of another member included in a combined report.

Water's-Edge Taxpayer

R&TC Section 24416(c) imposes a limitation on the NOL carryover deduction if the NOL is generated during a non-water's edge tax year. The NOL carryover is limited to the lesser of the NOL or the re-computed NOL. The re-computed NOL carryover is determined by computing the income and factors of the original worldwide combined reporting group, as if the water's-edge election had been in force for the year of the loss. R&TC Section 24416(c) serves as a limitation. If this section applies, the NOL carryover for each corporation may only be decreased, not increased.

	Worksheet I Income or Loss Apportionment – Los Angeles Revitalization Zone					
	ction B Income or Loss	0 ' 1 ''				
Pa	rt I Individual Income and Expense Ite		(b)	(a)		
		(a) Amount	(b) Percentage of time providing services in the former LARZ	(c) Apportioned amount (a) × (b)		
1	Wages					
2	Employee business expenses					
3	Total. Add line 1, column (c) and line 2, c	olumn (c)				
Da	rt II Pass-Through Income or Loss. Se	a instructions				
Га	(a)	e instructions.	(1	1)		
Name of entity			(b) Distributive or pro-rata share of business income or loss apportioned to the former LARZ from Schedule K-1 (100S, 541, 565, or 568) including capital gains and losses			
4						
5	Total. Add line 4, column (b)					
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Pa	rt III Taxpayer's Trade or Business. Se	(a)	(b)	(c)		
		California business income or loss	Apportionment percentage for the former LARZ	Apportioned income or loss (a) x (b)		
6	Schedule C or C-EZ					
7	Schedule E (Rentals)					
8	Schedule F					
9	Other					
10	Total. Add line 6 through line 9, column (
		(a) California business gain or loss	(b) Apportionment percentage for the former LARZ	(c) Apportioned gain or loss (a) x (b)		
11	Schedule D					
12	Schedule D-1					
13	Total. Add line 11, column (c) and line 12	, column (c)				
14	Total. Add line 3, line 10, and line 13, colu	umn (c) and line 5, column (b)				
luc	Exception: If you elected to carry back part or Line 7 – Enter the amount from line 6. If					

Instructions for Worksheet II Net Operating Loss (NOL) Carryover and Carryover Limitations

The LARZ NOL carryover deduction is used to reduce current year business income from the former LARZ. Use this worksheet to compute the LARZ NOL carryover deduction for corporations, individuals, and exempt trusts.

Line 1 – See Part II (page 3) for a discussion of business and nonbusiness income.

Form 540 and Form 540NR filers:

Be sure to include casualty losses, disaster losses, and any business deductions reported on federal Form 1040, Schedule A as itemized deductions.

all of your current year disaster loss under IRC Section 165(i)(1), do not include the amount of the loss that was carried back in your current year business income for the former LARZ.

Line 2 – In modifying your income, deduct your capital losses only up to your capital gains. Enter any net capital losses included in line 1 as a positive number.

Line 3 – Corporations reduce income by the disaster loss deduction and the deduction for excess net passive income.

Line 6 – This is your modified taxable income (MTI). Reduce this amount by your LARZ NOL carryover deduction. The LARZ NOL carryover deduction may not be larger than your MTI. If your MTI is a loss in the current year or if it limits the amount of NOL you may use this year, carry over the NOL to future years.

Line 7 – Enter the amount from line 6. If this amount is zero or negative, transfer the amount(s) from line 8 through line 14, column (b) to column (e). Go to line 15.

Line 8 through Line 14 – Enter the amounts as positive numbers.

In column (c), enter the smaller of the amount in column (b) or the amount in column (d) from the previous line.

In column (d), enter the result of subtracting column (c) from the balance on the previous line in column (d).

In column (e), enter the result of subtracting the amount in column (c) from the amount in column (b), as applicable.

Example:

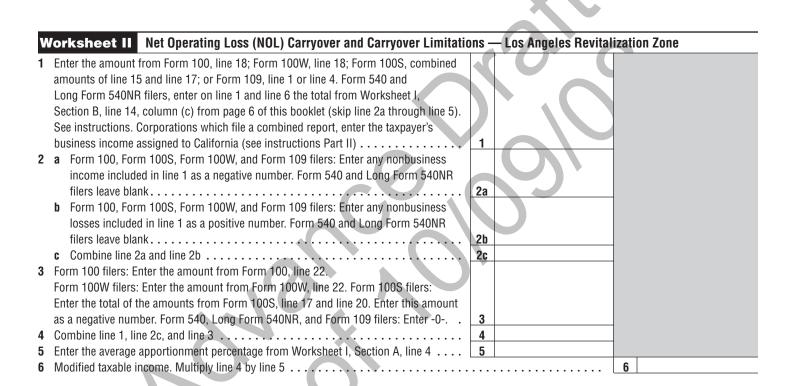
ĺ	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	
	Carry-	Amount	Balance	LARZ	
	over from	deducted	available to	es carryover	
	prior year	this year	offset losses		
			5,000		
	\$ 500	\$ 500	4,500	\$ 0	
	6,000	4,500	0	1,500	

Line 15 - Enter the totals from column (b) and column (e) on form FTB 3806, Side 1, line 3a and line 3c, respectively.

Your LARZ NOL carryover deduction for 2008 is the amount on line 15, column (c). Enter this amount on your California tax return or schedule as follows:

- Form 100, line 21
- Form 100S, line 19
- Form 100W. line 21
- Form 109, line 6
- Schedule CA (540), line 21e, column B
- Schedule CA (540NR), line 21e, column B

Your LARZ NOL carryover(s) to 2009 is the amount on line 15, column (e).



	(a) Description	(b) Carryover from prior year	(c) Amount deducted this year	(d) Balance available to offset losses	(e) LARZ NOL carryover to 2009
7	Modified taxable income from line 6				
8	LARZ NOL carryover beginning in 1992				
9	LARZ NOL carryover beginning in 1993				
10	LARZ NOL carryover beginning in 1994				
<u>11</u>	LARZ NOL carryover beginning in 1995				
12	LARZ NOL carryover beginning in 1996				
13	LARZ NOL carryover beginning in 1997				
14	LARZ NOL carryover beginning in 1998				
15	Total the amounts in column (b), (c), and				
	column (e). See instructions				

Schedule Z Computation of Credit Carryover Limitations

No new LARZ credits may be generated in taxable years beginning on or after January 1, 1998. However, LARZ credit carryovers may be claimed for 15 years from the year the credit was generated.

Credit Carryover Limitations

The amount of credit carryover you can claim on your California tax return is limited by the amount of tax attributable to the business income generated within the former LARZ. Use Schedule Z on Side 2 of form FTB 3806, to compute this limitation.

Credit carryovers you are otherwise eligible to claim may be limited. Do not apply credit carryovers against the minimum franchise tax (corporations and S corporations), annual tax (partnerships, and QSub), alternative minimum tax (corporations, exempt organizations, individuals, and fiduciaries), built-in gains tax (S corporations), or net passive income tax (S corporations).

Carryover

If the amount of credit carryover available this year exceeds your tax, you may carry over any excess credit to future years. The maximum carryover period is 15 years. Apply the carryover to the earliest taxable year possible. In no event can the credit carryover be carried back and applied against a prior year's tax. Additionally, the credit cannot be transferred to another taxpayer (absent a qualifying merger). Even though the LARZ has expired, the tax continues to be computed on income as if the LARZ were still in existence.

S corporations may claim only 1/3 of the credit against the 1.5% entity-level tax (3.5% for financial S corporations). The amount of credit carryover that is in excess of the 1.5% entity-level tax (3.5% for financial S corporations) in the current year may be carried forward and used in future years to offset the 1.5% entity-level tax (3.5% for financial S corporations). In addition, S corporations can pass through 100% of the credit to their shareholders. See the instructions for Schedule Z, Part III for more information.

Credit Code Number

Use credit code number **159** to claim the LARZ hiring and sales or use tax credit carryovers on your tax return. Using the incorrect code number may cause a delay in allowing the credit

Instructions for Schedule Z — Computation of Credit Carryover Limitations

Schedule Z is on Side 2 of form FTB 3806.

Partnerships

Do not complete Schedule Z. However, the partners and members of these types of entities should complete Schedule Z in order to determine the amount of LARZ credit

carryovers that they may claim on their California tax return. Complete Schedule Z for each S corporation and their shareholders.

Reporting Requirements of S Corporations, Estates, Trusts, and Partnerships

- Report to shareholders, beneficiaries, partners, and members the distributive or pro-rata share of business income, loss, and deductions apportioned to the former LARZ.
- Separately state the distributive or pro-rata share of any business capital gains and losses apportioned to the former LARZ included in the amount above.

S Corporations:

Complete Part I and Part III of Schedule Z if your entity-level tax before credits is more than the minimum franchise tax.

Corporations and S Corporations Subject to the Minimum Tax Only

Complete only Part IV of Schedule Z.

All others

Complete Part I and Part II of Schedule Z.

Part L

For filers with LARZ NOL carryovers:

- Complete Worksheet II first if you have a LARZ NOL carryover.
- Then complete Schedule Z if you have any LARZ credit carryover.

If you do not have any LARZ NOL carryovers:

- Individuals: Go to Worksheet I, Section B. Follow the instructions there. Enter the amount from Worksheet I, Section B, line 14, column (c) on Schedule Z, Part I, line 1, and line 3 (skip line 2).
- Corporations: Follow the instructions for line 1 below.

Line 1 – See page 3 for a definition of business income. Enter all business income.

Line 2 – If your business is located entirely within the former LARZ, enter 1.

This percentage is the apportionment percentage computed by the entity using Worksheet I, Section A, and represents the percentage of the entity's business income attributable to the former LARZ.

Line 6a – Compute the tax as if the taxable income generated within the former LARZ represented all of your taxable income.

Individuals:

Use the tax table or tax rate schedule in your tax booklet for your filing status.

Exempt Organizations:

Use the applicable tax rate in your tax booklet.

Corporations and S Corporations:

Use the applicable tax rate.

Line 6b – Corporations and S Corporations: If the amount on line 6b is the minimum franchise tax (\$800), you cannot use your LARZ credit carryovers this year. You should complete Part IV of Schedule Z to figure the amount to carry over.

Part II

Use Part II it You are a corporation, individual, estate, or trust. Corporations that are subject to paying only the minimum franchise tax, go to Part IV.

Line 8A, column (c) – Enter the amount from line 7. This is the amount of limitation based on the tax on business income generated within the former LARZ.

Line 8A, column (d) – Enter the amount of credit carryover that is used on Schedule P (100, 100W, 540, 540NR, or 541), Alternative Minimum Tax and Credit Limitations, column (b). The amount cannot be greater than the amount in column (c) or the amount on line 8B, column (b).

Line 8B, column (b) – Enter the amount of the total prior year carryover of the credit. This is the amount of credit carryover that was previously computed on Schedule Z, Part II, line 8B, column (e) of the prior year return.

Line 8B, column (c) – Compare the amount of line 8A, column (c) and line 8A, column (d). Enter the smaller amount.

Line 8B, column (e) — Subtract the amount of column (c) from the amount of column (b). Enter the result in column (e). This is the amount of credit carryover that can be carried over to future years.

This carryover includes both the Schedule P (100, 100W, 540, 540NR, or 541) limitation and the limitation based on LARZ business income.

Line 9A, column (c) – Subtract the amount of line 8B, column (c) from the amount of line 8A, column (c). If the result is zero, your remaining credit carryovers are limited and will be carried over to future years. In this case, enter the amounts from line 9B, column (b) and line 10B, column (b) on line 9B and 10B, column (e).

Line 9A, column (d) – Enter the amount of credit carryover that is used on Schedule P (100, 100W, 540, 540NR, or 541), column (b). The amount cannot be greater than the amount in column (c) or the amount on line 9B, column (b).

Line 9B, column (b) – Enter the amount of the total prior year carryover of the credit. This is the amount of credit carryover that was previously figured on Schedule Z, Part II, line 9B, column (e) of the prior year return.

Line 9B, column (c) – Compare the amount of line 9A, column (c) and line 9A, column (d). Enter the smaller amount.

Line 9B, column (e) – Subtract the amount of column (c) from the amount of column (b). Enter the result in column (e). This is the amount of credit carryover that can be carried over to future years.

This carryover includes both the Schedule P (100, 100W, 540, 540NR, or 541) limitation and the limitation based on LARZ income.

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Line 10A, column (c) – Subtract the amount of line 9B, column (c) from the amount of line 9A, column (c). If the result is zero, your remaining credit carryover is limited and must be carried over to future years. In this case, enter the amount from line 10B, column (b) in column (e).

Line 10A, column (d) - Enter the amount of credit carryover that is used on Schedule P (100, 100W, 540, 540NR, or 541), column (b). The amount cannot be greater than the amount in column (c) or the amount on line 10B, column (b).

Line 10B, column (b) - Enter the amount of total prior year carryover of the credit. This is the amount of credit carryover that was previously figured on Schedule Z, Part II, line 10B, column (e) of the prior year return.

Line 10B, column (c) - Compare the amount of line 10A, column (c) and line 10A. column (d). Enter the smaller amount.

Line 10B, column (e) - Subtract the amount of column (c) from the amount of column (b). Enter the result in column (e). This is the amount of credit carryover that can be carried over to future years.

This carryover includes both the Schedule P (100, 100W, 540, 540NR, or 541) limitation and the limitation based on LARZ income.

Use Part III only if you are an S corporation.

Line 11 through Line 13, column (b) - Enter the amount of the total prior year credit carryover in column (b) for line 11, line 12, and line 13, as applicable. These are the amounts of credit carryovers that were previously figured on Schedule Z, Part III, column (d) for line 11, line 12, and line 13, of the prior year return, as applicable.

Line 11 through Line 13, column (c) - Enter the amount of credit carryover that was used by the S corporation in the current year to offset its 1.5% entity-level tax (3.5% for financial S corporations) in column (c) for line 11, line 12, and line 13, as applicable. Enter these amounts on form FTB 3806, Side 1, line 1a, line 1b, and line 1c, as applicable.

Line 11 through Line 13, column (d)

- Subtract the amounts in column (c) from the amounts in column (b) for line 11, line 12 and line 13. These are the amounts of credit carryovers that can be carried over to future years and used by the S corporation.

Part IV

Use Part IV if you are a corporation or S corporation subject to paying only the minimum franchise tax.

Line 14 through Line 16, column (b) - Enter the amount of the total prior year credit carryover in column (b) for line 14, line 15, and line 16, as applicable. These are the amounts of credit carryovers that were previously figured on Schedule Z, Part IV, column (c) for line 14, line 15, and line 16 of the prior year return, as applicable.

Line 14 through Line 16, column (c) - Enter the amount from column (b) in column (c) for line 14, line 15, and line 16, as applicable.



How to Get California Tax Information

Your Rights as a Taxpayer

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TAX FORMS REQUEST UNIT FRANCHISE TAX BOARD PO BOX 307 RANCHO CORDOVA CA 95741-0307

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